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FOLLOWING ARE FINAL CHANGES IN TEXT OF SUBJECT REPORT
EMBASSY SUGGESTS SHOULD BE MADE:

(1) PAGE 69, PARA 2: LAST FULL SENTENCE SHOULD
READ: "IN JUNE 1977, HOWEVER, THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH
ANNOUNCED SUBSTANTIAL RISES IN THE PRICES OF LOCALLY-
PRODUCED DRUGS."

(2) PAGE 70, PARA 2: THIRD SENTENCE SHOULD READ "THE
PFIZER COMPANY, A U.S. FIRM, HAS BEEN IN EGYPT SINCE
ABOUT 1961 IN A DRUG MANUFACTURING OPERATION, AND IS
REPORTEDLY INTERESTED IN EXPANDING ITS PRODUCTION."

(3) PAGE 70, PARA 2, LAST SENTENCE: CHANGE TO: "... IN
THE NASR CITY FREE TRADE ZONE..."

(4) PAGE 70, PARA 3: FIRST SENTENCE SHOULD READ:
"A PHARMACEUTICAL ORGANIZATION HAS ALSO BEEN FORMED UNDER
THE AUSPICES OF THE ARAB ECONOMIC UNITY COUNCIL...ETC."

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(5) PAGE 71, PARA 1, SENTENCE 4: DELETE "FOR THE
FIRST TIME".

(6) PAGE 72, PARA 1: FIRST FULL SENTENCE SHOULD READ
"THE WORLD BANK IS FINANCING A STUDY OF IRON ORE
BENEFICIATION FOR THE BAHARIYA DEPOSITS."

(7) PAGE 72, PARA 2, SENTENCE 1: CHANGE "WOULD" TO "COULD".

8. PAGE 72, LAST PARA: SENTENCE 1 SHOULD READ: "... IS TO BE DEVELOPED, IT IS HOPED, TO PRODUCE...ETC."

(9) PAGE 73, FIRST PARA: LAST SENTENCE SHOULD READ "...WHERE NEW PORT FACILITIES WOULD BE BUILT."

(10) PAGE 74, LAST PARA: DELETE THIRD SENTENCE.

(11) PAGE 75, LAST PARA: DELETE SENTENCES TWO THROUGH SIX. REPLACE BY FOLLOWING "A SPONGE IRON PLANT HAS BEEN PROPOSED FOR DEKHEILA, WEST OF ALEXANDRIA, WHERE MAJOR PORT DEVELOPMENT MAY TAKE PLACE. NATURAL GAS FROM THE ABU QIR FIELD WOULD PROVIDE FUEL."

(12) PAGE 76, LAST PARA, SENTENCE 2: DELETE ALL AFTER: "...HOLDS PART OF THE EQUITY."

(13) PAGE 79, PARA 2: DELETE LAST SENTENCE.

(14) PAGE 80, PARA 1, SENTENCE 1: CHANGE "WILL" TO "MAY".

(15) PAGE 81, LAST PARA, SENTENCE 4: CHANGE "51 PER CENT TO "50 PER CENT". EILTS

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